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A FEEDING PLANT.

Establishment Near Chicago Where Sheep and Goats Are Fed.

Sixty miles west of Chicago, on the Rock Island railroad system, is Stockdale, Ill., where an immense establishment equipped with the most modern appliances for dipping, shearing, feeding and marketing of over half a million sheep and goats in a single season is being operated.

Although thousands of sheep are pastured and cared for there during the summer months and other thousands shipped over, fed and rested in transit



GEORGE H. WEISS, MANAGER.

from the western feeding grounds to the Chicago market, the feeding season proper begins in the fall and ends in the spring, when the ranges of far off Colorado, Idaho, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah and Wyoming send in their quota to pasture of such fare as the establishment's expert feeders provide, which quickly transforms them from feeders to butchers' stock.

George H. Weiss has been the manager of the establishment for the last twelve years.

The barns of this institution are numerous and commodious, being 100 by 300, with aisles through the center of sunlight with to allow a wagon to pass through. The ventilation and lighting are perfect. A plentiful supply of windows insures ample light by day, and a perfect electric system furnishes the same by night. The barns and yards are kept in a perfect sanitary condition, the feedstock being washed as often as necessary with a strong carbolic whitewash. The pens are, as it were, undergoing a continual cleaning occasioned by the necessity of having material wherewith to keep the fertilizer well going with which the plant is equipped. All sheep entering this feeding establishment are fed on the compound plant that is, the compound furnished all grain and roughage at so much a ton, which is fed by six just feeders whose services are included in the contract. Good clean hay is the bulk of the roughage used, and screenings that are worthy of the name from a feeder's standpoint, most of which are from the company's own elevator, from the grain ration. Such as are not from the company's elevator are carefully selected by experts to insure freedom from such taints as is sometimes found in the common article put upon the market today. All rations are fed in self feeders. The feeding period varies in duration, according to the condition of the animal when put into the feed lots or pens, as the case may be. From thirty to ninety days is the limit.—American Sheep Breeder.

THE GOAT HERD

A new industry is offering itself to the farmers and manufacturers of the United States. The facts that \$25,000,000 worth of goatskins are now an-

nually imported into the United States and that our enterprising manufacturers are now obliged to send halfway around the world for a large share of them suggest that the farmers of this country have a great opportunity to put a large share of the entire sum may be divided between our producers and manufacturers.

The census of 1900 showed the total number of goats in the United States to be less than 2,000,000, and when it is understood that the skins of probably 20,000,000 goats were required to make the \$25,000,000 worth imported last year it can be seen that the supply from the United States could have formed but a small share of the total consumption. The fact that a large share of the skins of this important import comes from India, China, France and Mexico suggests that there are large areas in the United States which might produce goats successfully and in sufficient large numbers to supply the entire home demand.—Harper's Weekly.

High Prices for Angoras.
At the recent Kalamazoo, Mich. sale, the Angoras were sold at \$1.50. A yearling was sold to J. J. Gentry, also of Texas, for \$100. Seven other animals sold for \$100 or better, most of them prize winners at the American Royal. Angoras are becoming very popular in the southwest.

Horses in Texas.
Farmers of Texas are paying more attention to the raising of draft horses since the price of cattle declined. They are extensively used in every community and sell readily for cash. Wagons must be pulled in all kinds of weather and over roads which do not always class as good, and for this and other reasons the everyday horse continues to be in demand.—Farm and Ranch.

Desirable Poultry on Small Places.
The Polish are a class of poultry very much liked by fanciers and breeders who have small places and can give them the proper attention, says *American Agriculturist* in presenting the accompanying cut. They are probably



WHITE CRESTED BLACK POLISH COCK.

the handsomest class of poultry, their large topknots and brilliant coloring making them very attractive. The White Crested Black are solid black in color except the topknot, which is pure white. The fowls are medium in size and lay beautiful white eggs.

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FEAR WAR IN BALKANS

Chekib Bey Says the Situation Is Very Critical.

DECLARES TURKEY IS NOT TO BLAME

Turkish Minister Will Present Important Communications to Secretary Hay—Disputes From European Cities Report Turkey and Bulgaria Preparing for War.

Washington, Feb. 23.—War in the Balkan states is impending and the situation at present is extremely critical, is the opinion of Chekib Bey, the Turkish minister at Washington.

Of the Balkan situation Chekib Bey, who has had considerable experience in that section, said: "Although my advice is meager, the news I get indicates an attitude and pursuing a course which it will be impossible for the imperial government to sustain longer with patience. It is reported that they are sending the inhabitants, stirring up strife in Macedonia and doing everything possible to harass the imperial government. I hope this is not true, but if the reports be correct hostilities in the Balkans can not much longer be averted. Let me repeat that I hope the reports of the activity of the Bulgarians are exaggerated, but if they contain a measure of truth, then the situation there is truly critical."

Turkey May Fight Bulgarians.
London, Feb. 23.—Telegrams from Vienna and Salonica published here give alarming but unconfirmed details of preparations indicating a war between Turkey and Bulgaria. The Sofia correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says the Bulgarian government has declared a state of siege over a zone 19 miles wide extending along the frontier from Kustendil to the Black sea, with a view of preventing the incursions of armed bands.

FAVORS HAY'S NOTE.

Lord Castletown, says Russia Highly Praises Friendship of Americans.
Washington, Feb. 23.—"Russia greatly and willingly favored the suggestion of Secretary Hay that, as far as possible, the belligerents in the far eastern war locate hostilities and respect the neutrality of China in the interest of a continuance of peaceful intercourse of the rest of the world. My government expressed the conviction that Mr. Hay's suggestion was prompted by motives of the highest humanity and was mutually advantageous to the belligerents." This statement was made by Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador, in the course of a conversation with a representative of the press at the embassy. The ambassador spoke in general on the far eastern situation.

Sends Note to the Powers.

Washington, Feb. 23.—"In view of international agreements in matters of war are charged against Japan by Russia, and the latter nation is addressing to the powers, either through their representatives at St. Petersburg, the emperor's envoys abroad or probably through both, a vigorous communication charging Japan with repeated violations of the laws of nations, first, as the note alleges, in threatening to attack a neutral port, the Chemulpo, Korea, and the latter ships within come out to face an overwhelming force; and second, it states in attacking Port Arthur before war had been declared and while the Japanese minister at St. Petersburg was still enjoying the protection and the courtesies of the Russian government to which, it is claimed, he had previously addressed a communication expressing his belief that the interruption of diplomatic relations would be brief. The text of the note is not yet obtainable."

Japan Claims Victory.

Tokyo, Feb. 18.—It is the belief of the navy department that the Russian second-class cruiser Boyarin was torpedoed and sunk by the destroyer Hoshino in the torpedo attack on the Russian fleet at Port Arthur last Sunday morning. A dispatch from St. Petersburg dated Feb. 16 stated that the Boyarin was blown up with a loss of 190 officers and men Feb. 13 by a mine which it accidentally struck.

Hear Firing at Sea.

Port Arthur, Feb. 22.—Sounds of artillery firing at sea are heard at night, and Monday firing was again heard. This is doubtless due to the attempted approach of Japanese torpedo boats, but nothing certain has developed. The garrison is in excellent spirits and is firmly convinced of the ultimate success of Russia.

Russian Cruiser Destroyed.

Petersburg, Feb. 17.—The Russian second-class cruiser Boyarin was blown up by a mine February 13, in the same manner in which the Russian torpedo transport Yenisei was destroyed. She had on board 197 officers and men, all of which it is understood were lost.

Take Torpedo Boats.

London, Feb. 23.—The Nagasaki correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, writing under date of Feb. 22, reports that the Japanese squadron has captured four Russian torpedo boats at Port Arthur by using Russian signals.

Russia's Casualty List.

Chernulpo, Feb. 19.—Seventeen officers and 459 men of Russian warships Varlag and Korietz were either killed or drowned when those vessels were destroyed.

Cable Cut.

Chefoo, Feb. 18.—The Port Arthur-Chefoo cable was cut Wednesday.

LAIN TO REST.

Final Tributes Paid to Senator Hanna by Thousands.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 20.—The sad rite have ended the body of Senator Marcus A. Hanna rests in a crypt in the memorial chapel at Lakeview; the sorrowing thousands have gone to their homes, and the final tribute to a great man has been paid.

Shortly after the noon hour Friday the casket was taken from the Chamber of Commerce auditorium and the funeral procession took up its slow march to the church, two miles away. At the head of the column rode a platoon of 12 mounted police, followed by three platoons of Troop A, all mounted on black horses and with swords at carry. The hearse came next and was followed by 100 carriages carrying the pallbearers and official guests, which included members of President Roosevelt's cabinet, Governor Herrick's staff, the delegations from the senate and house of representatives, members of the Ohio legislature, city officials and delegates from several civil organizations. Immense throngs of people lined both sides of Euclid avenue from the downtown section to the church entrance.

The body was met at the door by the officiating clergymen, Rev. W. A. Leonard, bishop of Ohio; Dr. G. H. McGraw, rector of St. Paul's church; President W. E. Pierce of Kenyon college, an institution which has been greatly benefited by Senator Hanna's liberality; and Rev. W. H. Jones, rector of St. John's Episcopal church, of which the dead man was a member, who spoke the eulogistic words as the body was borne down the aisle. The members of the family took seats near the casket, and other friends who had accompanied the remains from Washington were among the mourners. Immediately following the family came Governor Herrick and staff. Directly behind them came the Washington delegation with Senator Foraker in the lead.

After the services the body, accompanied by the family, pallbearers and Bishop Leonard, proceeded slowly out Euclid avenue to Lakeview cemetery, where a final farewell of the dead was taken in Wade Memorial chapel. The service consisted simply of a prayer by the bishop. The body was deposited in a crypt in the chapel to await burial at the pleasure of the family.

To Locate Radium.

Chicago, Feb. 22.—Work to aid miners in locating radium in America has been begun in the Hyman physical laboratory at the University of Chicago. A theory that there is growth in the life of matter in the physical world has been made a special study by Professor Millikan. He says: "Studies on radiation have suggested the question whether there is any such process which does among the atoms what the life process does among the molecules, namely, which takes the simpler form and builds them up again into more complex forms. The fact that radium now exists on the earth, taken with the fact that the life of radium is short in comparison with the ages that the earth has been in existence certainly seems to point to an affirmative answer."

Wrote Last Letter to Roosevelt.

Washington, Feb. 20.—President Roosevelt was the recipient of the last letter written by Senator Hanna. It was written on the Tuesday prior to his death and was purely a personal note acknowledging the receipt of the letter which had been sent him in expressing his personal interest in the senator's sickness. The letter now is in the hands of the senator's family. It is to be photographed for preservation. The original will be returned to the president, who will preserve it.

Asked to be Shot; He Was.

Port Dodge, Ia., Feb. 17.—"Marshall, shoot me," asked three-year-old Leo Hotts. "No, I won't," replied his four-year-old brother, who held a revolver in his hand. The second request by the younger brother was complied with and the ball lodged at the base of the skull. Death was instantaneous. Hotts, the father, let his revolver between the mattress of his bed, and the older boy secured it. The younger child saw him get it and playfully asked him to shoot. The mother is almost crazed with grief.

Eleven Millions in Debt and Assets.

Houston, Tex., Feb. 22.—The receivers of the Kirby Lumber company returned to the federal court a statement showing the assets and liabilities of the concern, placing both of them at \$11,102,044. It is stated that the inventory was not made on personal inspection. In the liabilities, \$7,289,292 is placed under the heading "investment values," showing that it is not a liability.

Fortifying the Coast.

Warsaw, Feb. 23.—Heavy guns are being put in position on the coast about ten miles from Odessa, covering the approach to the port. These preparations are being made in view of possible untoward happenings around the Black sea. The effect of war in the far east upon the Balkan situation is the chief diplomatic topic in many European capitals.

Hundreds of Lives Lost.

Tientsin, Feb. 23.—A telegram from Tsinan-Fu, Shantung, says that hundreds of lives have been lost by the bursting of a dam on the Hwangho. Seven villages were destroyed.

Claims Self-Defense.

Sergeant, Ky., Feb. 22.—Benjamin Anderson has been indicted on the charge of murdering his brother-in-law, Jarvis Hall. He asserts self-defense.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

LESSON IX, FIRST QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, FEB. 28.

Text of the Lesson, Matt. vii, 21-29. Memory Verses, 21, 25—Golden Text, Jas. i, 22—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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The gospel by Matthew is specially the gospel of the kingdom, that kingdom of which the Old Testament has so much to tell us, when a King shall reign in righteousness and the work of righteousness shall be peace, and the effect of righteousness, quietness and assurance forever. The name of the King shall be Jehovah-Jehovah, the Lord our Righteousness; the shall reign and prosper and shall execute judgment and justice in the earth. His throne shall be the throne of David at Jerusalem, and He shall be King over all the earth (Isa. xlii, 1, 4; Jer. iii, 17; xlii, 5, 6; Zech. xiv, 9, 17).

Nothing more thrilling or inspiring was ever written, and the God of Truth Himself wrote this (1 Tim. iii, 16, 17). In Matt. vii the King has given us the laws of the kingdom, that kingdom which is not meat and drink, but righteousness and peace and joy in the Holy Ghost (Rom. xiv, 17). The opening words assert that poverty of spirit is a characteristic of those who belong to the kingdom (Matt. v, 3; Luke xiv, 2). He also said that the righteousness necessary to enter it must exceed that of the scribes and Pharisees (v, 20) and must be such as meets the requirements of the true spirit of the law, not that of mere words, but deeds which are righteous before God, who seeth in secret. "Not every one that saith, 'I' but he that doeth the will of My Father which is in heaven," are the true words of the kingdom, and the beginning of the close of His address.

That we may more fully appreciate the words we must remember who the speaker is. Note His oft repeated "I say unto you," corresponding with the "Thus saith the Lord" of the Old Testament, for He is the Lord of Hosts, the God of Israel, the Creator, the only Redeemer, the Judge of the world. He is the one of whom the Father said at His baptism, "This is My Beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased," and at the transfiguration He added, "Hear ye Him" (Matt. iii, 17; xvi, 17). He Himself said, "The Father judgeth no man, but hath committed all judgment unto the Son" (John v, 22). I seek to emphasize this because there are so many teachers and preachers who, professing to be His friends, not only do not honor the word which He so honored, but distort His words, and thus dishonor the Father, too, for all His words were just what the Father told Him to say (John xii, 48, 49).

But however much people may profess to be His friends and to do works in His name, here is His own testimony that He will have to say to them, "I never knew you; depart from Me, ye that work iniquity" (verse 23). He has told us elsewhere that He will have to say to some, "Depart from Me, ye cursed, into everlasting fire, prepared for the devil and his angels" (Matt. xxv, 41). After the solemn warning that He will have to say to some, "Depart!" He speaks again in grace that all who will may flee from the wrath to come. All who hear the gospel either obey or disobey; they either take refuge in Christ, who is the Truth, or turning from Him, they accept some of the many prevailing delusions of the devil and make his their refuge.

The latter passage gives the further truth that even those who are on the sure foundation and are therefore eternally safe have need to be careful of that which they are building day by day. Let them know that their works are by fire. The works must be "God working in us" the works which He hath before prepared for us (Eph. ii, 10; Phil. ii, 13; Col. i, 29), else all may prove wood, hay, and stubble.

Returning to the first part of our lesson and the matter of "doing the will of God," we must remember that our Lord was talking to disciples (chapter v, 1, 2), for He never talks to the unconverted of "doing." When the saved asked Him one day, "What shall we do that we might work the works of God?" His reply was to the effect that the only work for them was to believe on Him whom God had sent (John vi, 28, 29). On salvation by faith apart from any works of ours see Rom. iii, 24; iv, 5; Eph. ii, 8, 9; Tit. iii, 5; then on the works which must follow see Eph. ii, 10; Tit. iii, 8; Jas. i, 11, 25.

May we ever listen to the words of the Spirit in this infallible book, whether they come to us through prophets, apostles or Christ Himself, as words of authority, even the authority of God. There are before us a glorious morning and an awful night, but there is no morning for those who despise the word of God (Isa. xli, 11, 12; viii, 20, revised version). No one is a child of God and a joint heir with Christ who has not received Christ as his own Saviour, putting all his trust as a sinner in the precious blood of the atonement (John i, 12; 1 John v, 12; Lev. xlii, 11; Heb. ix, 22); but, having thus become a part of Him and His kingdom, His works in us must be a manifest that men may glorify Him in us (chapter v, 16).

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The Growers of Mutton and Wool

I keep a few sheep with the dairy, for I think they require so little attention, says E. E. Stebbins in *American Agriculturist*. My sheep are housed only during bad storms until the lambs begin to drop, and I seldom have a week lamb. Last year my six ewes dropped eleven lambs and raised them all. I sold them in August at 5 cents per pound alive, and they weighed just 1,000 pounds, bringing \$52.50. The ewes sheared forty-nine pounds of wool, which sold for 17 cents per pound, netting \$8.33, or a total of \$60.83 from my six ewes. A single lamb generally will be larger than a twin, but my heaviest lamb weighed 115 pounds and his twin 111 pounds. Much depends on the ewe as a milkier as to size of lambs.

As I was raised among Merino sheep when a lad, I thought there was no sheep but Merino, and of course when I went to farming for myself I bought a flock of Merinos. I kept them two or three years and sold them, and now I would not take a bunch of Merinos as a gift if I were obliged to keep them. In the sixties, when wool was from 75 cents to \$1 per pound, the Merinos just filled the bill, but when it comes to raising lambs they are not in it with the coarse wool breeds.

Several years ago I bought a flock and picked out six that suited me as to build. Then I got a Shropshire ram head of the same ancestry, and at two years old he weighed 230 pounds, and my flock is all his get. A year ago one of the ewes lost part of her udder, and I feared trouble with it in the future, so I sold her. She was only four years old and would have been good for several years yet. She dressed ninety pounds.

I branched out in the business and bought a registered Shropshire ewe, and she dropped a pair of the ewe lambs. My sheep all dropped lambs except one within a week, and four pairs of twins and two sets of triplets is the record and all strong, healthy lambs. My sheep are about as tame as a house cat.

A Great Irish Breed.

The American Sheep Breeder prints the accompanying picture of one of the only native Irish breed of sheep, the Roscommon, which by reason of its striking characteristics is attracting considerable attention among the breeders of Great Britain.

These sheep become very large and heavy, especially when fed and kept on limestone lands. Some animals recently exhibited weighed as high as 298 pounds, and dressed lambs at ten months old have tipped the scale at 128 pounds. The mutton is delicious and the flavor excellent. Another attractive feature is the even mixing of the lean and fat, which is a great advantage from the butchers' standpoint. As to the wool, it is white, bright and lustrous, and an expert from the Bradford wool house when giving evidence before the government department committee on sheep dipping in London recently gave his opinion that the wool of the Roscommon sheep was the best in the whole of Great Britain.

Sheep Men's Grievances.

"Between the railroads and the forest,

reserves the sheep men of our country are being subjected to considerable hardship," said Thomas J. Dickerson of Walnut, Wyo. "The railroads are selling large tracts of land to big stockmen, and these stockmen will not allow any trespassing. Every alternate section is owned by the government, and one man has as much right to it as another, but we can't get to it without trespassing, and so the men who have bought railroad land have the use of just twice the amount included in the purchase. This bars out the rest of us. The Medicine Bow forest reserve has also taken a good deal of our pasture. The law limits the number of sheep to be put on the reserve to 40,000, and in the past at least 100,000 have found good grazing there. The matter of trespassing was taken into court awhile ago, and it cost one big firm in the neighborhood of \$5,000 to find out that the landowner's wishes must be respected."

What Sheep Eat.
Professor Kennedy of the Iowa experiment station says that there are 600 kinds of weeds and grasses growing in the agricultural states, and of these sheep eat 550, horses eat 82 and cattle eat 56. He says sheep relish most weeds and do well on them, and therefore every farm of a quarter section should have at least a flock of twenty-five sheep to help keep down the weeds, and that small flocks pay their way on most farms in this way. He says: "Less labor is required in handling sheep than almost any other kind of stock. During a large portion of the year they will take care of themselves and at the same time utilize the weeds and other wastes found on so many farms. True it is that at certain seasons of the year they must be given food, care and attention. This is especially so at lambing time."

Planting the Rhubarb.
Give the rhubarb plants in the garden a heavy dressing of the old compost. If you wish a few early stalks place kegs or boxes over some of the plants and heap over them some horse manure.

Cotton Raisers.
Foreign authorities say the 1903 cotton crop of Russia-Turkistan is unusually large, but will be insufficient for the Russian cotton mills.

According to a statement of a German agricultural expert, recent efforts to extend cotton culture in Egypt are meeting with success.

Peru Rico cotton is said to be of exceptionally fine quality.

Sanito Domingo has a small insect called the "cotton bug" that seems to have put a powerful damper on experimental cotton growing there.

Farm and Ranch says some inventors of self-weeding machines have proved their claims sufficiently to interest capital for the manufacture of the machines, and the companies thus formed are now selling machines.

According to advices from Jamaica, the government of that island intends to make extensive experiments in cotton growing and to push that industry.

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ders while fat hogs were high. Their
surplus stock was shipped up at good
prices. But since hogs have declined
breeding stock is not so much in de-
mand. In fact the inquiry for it is
only a fraction of what it was a year
or two ago at this time. Stockmen and
Farmer holds that there is just as much
need for breeding hogs now as there
ever was, but people will not buy be-
cause "the hog market is so discourag-
ing." The market for fat hogs should
have very little to do with the extent
of the demand for breeding stock, but
it should have something to do with
prices, and it has. Just as fat hogs
decline and advance so do pure bred
hogs. They can be bought cheap now,
and it is the time to buy them, regard-
less of what the other fellow is doing.

Why Hogs Breed.
This far all efforts to prevent swine
from getting have been only compen-
satively successful. All appliances are
only partially a success. Hogs are
after the insects on the earth
only efforts, and they will try to have
them in spite of hog timers, rings and
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quality, on the common stock of the
country have been both surprised and
delighted at the results of the first
cross. Part of this is no doubt due to
the superior care which the farmer will
give to the get of a sire for which he
has paid a good round sum of money.
In fact, one of the great benefits of the
introduction of thoroughbred blood,
whether of animals or plants, is that it
encourages the farmer to give better
care or cultivation, as the case may be.
This, however, does not altogether ac-
count for it.

One of the reasons and the main rea-
son why this first cross is so effective is
that there is no particular propensity
in the blood of the common stock of the
country. It has been cross bred, indis-
criminately bred and so intermingled
mixed up that no particular animal has
any particular potency or propensity.
When propent blood is crossed with
this the offspring, therefore, take main-
ly after the sire. In other words, the
influence of the sire is preponderating
—in fact, dominating and controlling.
We remember reading somewhere of an
attempt to introduce a breed of English
mutton sheep on the sheep of a particu-
lar district in France. Cross breeding
failed because the sheep to be improved
had been bred so long in that particular
climate that they were almost as prop-
ent, or, as the farmer would say, as
strong blooded, as the animal intro-
duced. On the border land, however,
between this strain and another strain
where there had been some cross breed-
ing the crossing with the English sheep
became very effective—that is, the lines
of propensity in the native stock had
been broken up, and hence the English
blood became the controlling force. Horse
breeders have noticed that a mare
with no particular blood line often
produces the colts most like the sire and
for the same reason. It is always a
safe proposition to introduce any kind of
improved blood for crossing or using on
the mixed stock.

Breeders have often noticed that no
subsequent cross has ever the same ef-
fect as the first cross that cross
has been on the common stock of mixed
breeding. It requires a great deal more
judgment to introduce the second cross
than the first, and here is where the
breeder has an opportunity of exercising
superior judgment. No sire is per-
fect. There are always defects in him
and in his get, and sometimes defects ap-
pear in his get which had not appeared
in the sire, the result of the inheritance
in blood which for some reason had not
come out in the individual. We once
used a herd bull which was a remark-
ably smooth, level and exceedingly fine
animal. We were greatly surprised to find
that the majority of his get dropped
a little little behind the shoulders.
The bull showed nothing of this, but
evidently it had come down from some
ancestor; therefore the sire should be
selected with a view of correcting the
defects in his get. Wherever that de-
fect may be the succeeding sire should
be particularly strong in this point.

If any man makes half the advance
with the second crossing that he did in
the first, he should be satisfied, and the
greater number of crosses the smaller
proportionate improvement will be
made, partly because there is less room
for improvement and partly because
there is more and more similarity in
the blood lines.—Wallace's Farmer.

HINTS FOR FEEDERS

All sorts of experiments and practical
work are being undertaken to find out
the possibilities of alfalfa. At the
stockyards the other day 200 hogs,
weighing from 275 to 300 pounds each,
were shown which, the owner averred,
had never seen any feed since weaning
but alfalfa, and they were prime pork-
ers. But while all conceded the great
value of alfalfa as hog feed, the above
success seems almost an exception. At
the Nebraska state station farm were
several bunches of hogs on alfalfa pas-
torage, each bunch being fed varying
amounts of grain down to no grain, and
to the eye the hogs that had some grain
were doing much better than those on
all alfalfa. Some official figures show
that on acre of good alfalfa will sum-
mer ten shote hogs, and a grain mixture
of shorts and corn added showed that
the growth gain was nearly double that
of the alfalfa fed shotes, though the
figures indicated that an acre of alfalfa
had an actual credit of 749 pounds of
pork gain, making the actual value of
the alfalfa, at 80 per hundred of hog,
\$4.54. The freedom from disease of
alfalfa fed hogs is a matter of common
remark. All this goes to show that the
western farmer wants to try by every
means at command to grow alfalfa.
Referring again to the Nebraska state
farm, the third cutting of alfalfa on
the lot, after nine years in clover, yield-
ed over one and one-half tons an acre,
and the soil showed very little if any
deterioration from its best yields, with
a showing of a yet fourth good crop,
and promises yet years of good yields
without restocking.—Cincinnati Com-
mercial Gazette.

Feed and Buildings.
Pure water, and lots of it, is needed
by all animals.
Feeding on the ground is wasteful
and unsatisfactory.
Comfortable buildings for stock helps
to lessen cost of feed.
A system of farming, breeding or
dairying that cannot be improved on
has not yet been discovered.
Better sell half your stock and build
good shelter with the proceeds of sale
for the other half. In this way you
only use half as much feed and grow
thriftier, healthier stock, and in the end
your pocketbook will be just as full
and at less expense and bother.

Every Bottle of Chamberlain's Cough
Remedy Warranted.

LEETE & BEIRIS,
CIVIL ENGINEERS
AND SURVEYORS.
Prompt Attention Given to
all classes of work and ...
SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.
OFFICE: JACKSON,
KENTUCKY.

Correspondence.

ROOSEAU.

Mrs. Mary Hensley, wife of Green
Hensley, is on the sick list.

Joseph Lovely and Robert McIntosh
are taking ties to market this week.

Rev. Daniel McIntosh held 77 serv-
ices during January, 1904, and will
preach at Robbins on the 14th Sunday
in February.

Nancy Miller, aged 93 years, died
last Wednesday and was buried Thurs-
day in the Minix grave yard.

Rev. Manford Richie conducted Sun-
day School on the South Fork for the
Presbyterian Church.

C. B. McQuinn, who is about 90 years
old, has had E. H. Minix saw timber
for his coffin.

HERALD.

Richard Herald, who is attending
school at Jackson, visited his parents
from Friday until Monday.

Harlan Griffith visited R. H. Herald
Sunday.

Gus Griffith of Turkey Creek visited
his aunt, Mrs. Bell Terry, at Cape
Branch Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Julia Callahan and her little
niece, Miss Lou Ella Evans, visited
Misses Dora and Gattie Terry Sat-
urday night.

Arch Jett is on the sick list this
week.

Richard Jett visited at Rock Lick
Sunday.

Emily Herald visited her sister, Mrs.
W. D. Condit, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Ira Herald is at the point of
death.

FINCASTLE.

George Conch of Greeley was visit-
ing Moses Roberts Saturday and Sun-
day.

A. C. Eaton is moving his saw mill
this week.

T. S. Shackelford and A. C. Eastin were
in attendance upon Court last week.

J. K. Hobbis, E. H. Sogile and J. H.
Ginn were summoned to Breathitt
last week to be called about how the
Democrats were intimidated by the
Republican forces of the Fincastle precinct
at the November election.

F. H. Davis of Winchester was calling
on our merchants Saturday in
search of eggs and possum skins.

The J. & E. Lidge carpenters have
been on the siding here for the past
week but left for Jackson Monday.

It seems the special term of the Lee
Circuit Court is rather a show go, as
the lawyers in most of the important
cases are in Frankfort fighting against
any change in our judicial district.

Mrs. Nancy Smith, who has been se-
riously ill for the past two weeks, is
some better at this writing and there
are hopes of her recovery.

A. C. Eastin is at Lee City this week
repairing saw mills.

Mrs. M. E. Shackelford was visiting at
John Abner's Tuesday.

Thos. Hazel has rented a part of Mc-
Cabe's river farm and is moving there
this week.

Mrs. T. Shackelford has been on the
sick list for the past two weeks.

J. D. Glinger is hopping about on ac-
count of stepping on a nail a few days
back.

TORRENT.

Mrs. Jacob Bush and children and
Miss Lillie Bush have been visiting
friends and relatives living on Har-
dwick's Creek near Clay City.

Misses Mattie Adams and Martha
Bush of Zachariah were calling on Ed-
ward Adams last Friday. He is seri-
ously ill of pneumonia fever.

"Zer" Bush was in Breathitt last
week attending the special term of
Circuit Court in Lee County.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Thacker of Zachar-
iah are quite ill of the measles.

Enelo Isiah Spencer of Zachariah
was attending Circuit Court at Breathitt
last week.

J. M. Daniel of Winchester was at
Ridgewood Junction last Wednesday.

A. M. Striles of Ridgewood paid a busi-
ness trip to Winchester last Tuesday.

Earle O. Astley was in Winchester
last week purchasing supplies for family
and friends.

Cliff R. A. Jones was in Ridgewood on
special business last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Daniel of Clay
City, who were married recently at
Salt Lick, are for the time being res-
idents of the Junction. Frank is a
lumber inspector at the latter place
for Brown and Son of Winchester. He
and his bride seem to be a well match-
ed couple and we trust that their mat-
rimonial career will be as happy and
prosperous as the God of Love could
wish.

Gus Stewart of Wilburst was again
in our midst last Tuesday.

Our little town with a total popula-
tion of 55 souls can boast of ten newly-
married people, all of whom are actual
residents and have been married with-
in the past nine months. It is worthy
of notice that nearly twenty per cent.
of the total population are brides and
bridegrooms. If this state of affairs
continues surely our census for 1905
will be in excess of fifty-five inhabi-
tants.

WANTED: To buy poplar logs for
vener w 2x16 inches and up; any
length; will pay cash.
W. J. Gibson,
Norton, Va.

Normal and Business Department of

Lees Collegiate Institute

WILL OPEN

January 4th, 1904.

PROF. J. F. LUKENS, so long and favorably associated with
the Institution, will again conduct the Normal Work. Ex-
perienced and thoroughly competent teachers will be in charge
of the Business Department.

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PRIMARY, ACADEMIC, COLLEGIATE,
MANUAL TRAINING,
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Students pursuing Normal or Business Courses may take
advantage of the Academic and Collegiate Departments with-
out extra charge. Diploma will admit holder to any college
of the land. Tuition and Board reasonable.

Call on or address,
M. L. GERTON, Principal,
Jackson, Kentucky.

ROOSEVILLE.

There have been twenty-four snows
this winter thus far and Wilburn Bos-
man says there will be twenty-nine be-
fore winter breaks.

George Martin, an old soldier of the
30th Ky. Vol. Infy., has had increase
of pension granted and is now drawing
\$10.00 per month.

Lee Venable of near Vincent, who
has been suffering from stomach trou-
ble for some years, died at his home last
week. He leaves a wife and a large
family to mourn his loss, who have
our sympathies.

The Banner Co-operative Co. has moved
their stove machinery from Cox
Creek to Meadow Creek and is now
working up the timber recently pur-
chased of L. C. Rose.

Andy Judd, a citizen near Eudee this
county, had his house and its contents
destroyed by fire Thursday evening,
leaving him and family entirely desti-
tute. He called on our citizens Sat-
urday for aid, who responded liberally
to his needs.

Gus M. Frendway of Lee has
sold out his entire interest in the Dry
Goods and Grocery business at that
place to the Price Bros. (sons of Isaac
Price) who will continue the business
at the same old stand. The trade goes
into effect this 1st day of March.

Becknell and Baker, who have been
doing a general merchandising busi-
ness at Cox Creek for some years, are
winding up their business at that place
and will go into the same business at
Winchester March 1st.

Old Aunt Rebecca Chambers of Low-
er Twin paid our town a visit on the
first of the month. She rode her
back from home to Booneville, a dis-
tance of 14 miles. She is 82 years old
and the thermometer at zero. Aunt
Rebecca, as she is usually called, is well
prospered for a woman of her age. The
most incessant talker you ever heard
with the best recollection I ever saw
in a person of her age. She was raised
near Booneville, being a daughter of
one of the old pioneers of the county.
Robt. Rose, Sr. She too, dinner with
your correspondent, who is a relative
of the old lady and the first time he
had ever met her. Call again, Aunt
"Rebecca." Your visit was highly ap-
preciated.

Smallpox is raging in different por-
tions of our county. The Cross Roads
Dist. in the edge of Lee county has 85
cases, with about 40 exposures. It
is at the mouth of Upper Wolf Creek
seven miles from town Val Taylor has
a serious condition with smallpox
with at least twenty exposures, and at
the mouth of Cox Creek there is an-
other case with at least a dozen ex-
posures, all of which indicates that Ova-
lets to be a lot of smallpox here-
fore a great while unless the Board
Health takes the matter in its hand
and controls the situation as it should.
Respectfully,
Valler Britches.

Combination Offer.

By our liberal terms with the pub-
lishers of other papers, we are able
to furnish you two papers for a little
more than the price of one. We can
save you money on any paper you wish
to take. We will furnish you THE
BREATHITT COUNTY NEWS and
either of the following:

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Home and Farm, or
New York Tribune-Farmer.
One Year For Only \$1.25.

No one should be without a paper
when he can buy two of the best in the
country for so little money.

List of unclaimed matter advertised
by Daniel D. Hurst, post master at
Jackson Ky., February 19th 1904 and
sent to the Dead Letter office at Wash-
ington D. C. for week ending March
4th 1904.

The best physic. "Once tried and
you will always use Chamberlain's
Stomach and Liver Tablets," says
William A. Girard, Pease, Vt. These
Tablets are the most reliable cathartic
in use. For sale by Day Bros. Co.

Day Bros. Co.

Have the most complete stock of

GENERAL MERCHANDISE

Ever brought to Jackson. Consisting
of

Dry Goods,
Notions,
Clothing,
Hats,
Shoes.

We have the Finest

Line of SHOES in
Eastern Kentucky.

Our mens shoes are
of the Latest Style.

For the Ladies
we have the most
Fashionable Lot
of Shoes money
could buy.

Millinery Goods

This Department is under the man-
agement of Mrs. R. J. Fulkerson who
can show you

The Latest Style Hats

direct from New York City. Also

FASHIONABLE DRESS GOODS,

In all the Latest Patterns and weaves Fresh
from the Eastern Markets.

If you need any House Furnishings or

FURNITURE

We are the people you are looking for
we have it by car loads to suit
every body.

Come and see us our

Prices Are All Right.

Day Bros. Co.

Stock Reduction SALE 20 PER CENT OFF

On all Men's and Boys heavy weight
Suits, Pants, Overcoats and Shoes
Ladies and Gents

FURNISHING GOODS

All these goods will be sold regardless
Don't delay. Even among the best there
is a choice. Even in this sale there is a
complete

LOW PRICE

Throughout our stock.

Yours For Trade.

C. KELMAN,

Jackson, Kentucky.

The Breathitt News.

Published Every Friday.

HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK

IN AND AROUND JACKSON
Circulation more than
FOURTEEN Hundred copies

Are you a subscriber to The News?

When in Lexington, stop with Hart
Hos. at Reed Hotel.

Look! Solid gold jewelry sold by
W. J. Gots.

Dr. McEwen has declined the presi-
dency of Central University.

A. S. Johnson has line for sale at
\$1.45 per barrel.

James Candlish, of Stevenson was
here on business Wednesday.

Capt. John Pickard returned Wed-
nesday from a business trip to Lexing-
ton.

William Bailey, assistant agent at
the depot, is visiting relatives at Mt.
Stirling.

I will pay cash for Commonwealth
Town and School Claims.

A. S. Johnson.

Call on W. J. Gots for fine jewelry
guaranteed from 1 year to 20 years

J. D. Moore has bought a lot, 30x91
feet, on Broadway of John Dean. Con-
sideration \$150.

Don't fail to see our line of Clothing
and Shoes.

A. P. Crawford & Co.

T. M. Davidson, a merchant of Wo-
rtham, was here on business Tuesday
and Wednesday.

Come and see us. We will please
you.

A. P. Crawford & Co.

Attorney J. M. Tester of Wolfe coun-
ty was in Jackson Tuesday on legal
business.

If you have any engraving to do, try
S. D. Fleener.

Horn, to Mr. and Mrs. Jeff D. Cham-
bers on Lower Twin Creek, a boy, last
Tuesday a week ago.

Carter cut your hair in the most up-
to-date style.

Misses Nora Lovelace of Fuzen and
Carrie Thomas of St. Helens visited
in Jackson Monday and Tuesday.

Wm. E. Gaudin and wife of How-
ard's Creek who have both been sick
for several weeks have about recovered.

S. H. Kash of Vanclove was in Jack-
son Monday

Pure bred Pekin Ducks, Cornish In-
dian Game chickens and Belgian Hares
for sale by
M. & M. Hume,
Jackson, Ky.

Read A. P. Crawford & Co's ad
in this issue. Try them.

Uncle Ben B. Rigstaff has moved
from Astor to Fuzen and his head-
quarters will be at Fuzen till further
notice.

Miss Mollie Maloney of Gaudin
visited Misses Myfawny Davis and Mar-
garet Crawford during the past week
and attended Washington's Birthday
exercises at the college.

D. G. Robinson, the butcher, went
to Frankfort Tuesday to collect an ac-
count for provisions furnished the sol-
diers while here.

Catherine Robinson, a decrepit old
woman who lives on Cane Creek, was
tried Tuesday before Squire James W.
Edwards, Acting County Judge of
Breathitt, on a charge of larceny and
adjudged insane. She was ordered to
be taken to the asylum at Lexington.

Ed Eaton, of Clay City, was shot
and killed at Beattyville Junction last
Friday evening by James Shelton. The
trouble came up over an old bridge
and Eaton was drunk at the time. Shel-
ton gave himself up to the authorities
and pleads self-defense. Later, he was
held in a bond of \$2,000, in default of
which he was sent to jail.

Wm. Mays, deputy marshal, and
J. H. Bathington last Saturday el-
uded with violation of the navigation
law. He gave bond for his appearance
before the U. S. Court at Frankfort
and arrested fellow fugitive at
month of Ten Mile last Sunday el-
uded with selling whisky. Fugate was
in \$300 bail, and in default of same
taken to Frankfort Wednesday.

Tuesday was the first day that
shown any indications of Spring.
Tenuous spring birds have come
looking around to find straw and
tules for their new year's nest. In-
venturous birds have commenced
peep from their frozen retreats and
reconnoiter and skinkish along
battlements of seasons and the
up meriment of youth is heard on
every hand.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Jackson of Lem-
brie were here several days ago on
business connected with a suit for ad-
dition of a tract of land on Spring
Fork containing about 1,000 acres.
Mrs. Jackson was the widow of Col-
way Wireman who owned the land at
the time of his death and left surviving
him the widow and two children. She
says that the land be divided and her
dower be allotted to her. Hagins &
Bowling are the attorneys.

Washington's Birthday Exercises

Washington's Birthday was cele-
brated Monday night at the college
with exercises that were highly ap-
propriate and entertaining.

Promptly at seven o'clock the audi-
torium was brilliantly lighted and it
was not long before a large crowd began
pouring into the building. Never before
in the history of the school has a
more intelligent and respectful audi-
ence assembled in its chapel and no
more interesting programme could
have been arranged.

At 7:15 o'clock Prof. M. S. Giron
appeared on the stage and in a few
concise remarks outlined the exercise
of the evening together with a heart-
ily welcome to all present. The pro-
gramme as previously arranged was
fully carried out, with the single ex-
ception of the young men's declama-
tory contest, and every feature was
pronounced a full success.

Mrs. A. H. Patton and Miss Drake
of the college faculty were the first to
appear in pursuance of the pro-
gramme in rendering a charming duet.
This was performed to the supreme de-
light of the audience, which was held
spellbound by their exquisite music,
and their voices excited rapturous cheers.

This was followed by the chorus by
Primary department, which was one
of the most delightful features of the
evening. It consisted of singing and
uniform drill, and the manner of per-
formance proved that utmost care and
skill had been employed in its prepara-
tion. Most of the Primary pupils of
the school were included in this exer-
cise and credit should be given Miss
Annie Levine for the matchless training
that had been given.

Columbia the Gem of the Ocean was
the next song by a chorus from the
Intermediate and Collegiate depart-
ments. No more appropriate feature
was introduced in this fitting celebra-
tion, this fond remembrance of the
Father of our Country, and as the gen-
tle voices uttered the words of that
patriotic song vivid inspiration seemed
to enkindle throughout the entire
audience.

The contest in recitation was then
opened by Miss Lucy Williams with a
recitation entitled "A Stray Southerner."
It was a most beautiful and appropri-
ate selection and was admirably
rendered.

Following, Miss Josephine McElaine
delivered a recitation entitled "Big
Ben Bottom." Here was a beautiful
recitation and was received by the audi-
ence with hearty applause.

Miss Ida Osborn with a beautiful
and appropriate recitation closed the
young ladies contest.

Misses Margaret and Emma Cran-
ford then rendered a duet which was
appropriate and charming and well re-
ceived.

Miss Ray then sang a song entitled
"Tell me, Swallow," which was so en-
chanting that at its close she was re-
called.

Misses Myfawny and Viollette Davis
rendered a duet much to the pleasure
of the entire audience. This was fol-
lowed by a beautiful rendition by Miss
Allene Drake entitled "Voices of
Spring."

The exercises of the evening were
closed by an appropriate song by Mrs.
A. H. Patton, Mrs. C. Phillips, Misses
Ray, Drake, Patrick and Crawford.
This was a most pleasant feature and
was admirably performed.

The judges, Attorneys J. J. Back,
and A. H. Patton and Dr. Vance-
Gifford, then retired and after due de-
liberations awarded the medal in the
young ladies contest to Miss Josephine
McElaine.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the part-
nership heretofore existing between
the undersigned and M. S. Crain and J.
P. Crain under the firm name of Crain,
Combs & Co., has been dissolved by
mutual consent of all the parties con-
cerned. The said Crains assume all the
present liabilities of the firm. This
Feb. 24, 1904
N. B. Combs

Dr. J. P. Rogers of Robbins returned
Saturday from Louisville where he had
been taking a post graduate course of
medicine.



WEDDING RINGS

Solid 18k Gold in a variety of
patterns and weights.

Engagement

...Rings

Set in bright sparkling diamonds,
Perfect Beauties

\$12.50 TO \$125 UP.

WEDDING PRESENTS

Solid Silver, silver plate, Cut glass,
Clocks, Bronze Ornaments.

HEINZ ...THE...
JEWELER.

EAST MAIN ST., OPPOSITE
The Phoenix Hotel, Lexington, Ky.

Confessed.

A. C. Adams of Caney pleaded guilty
in court there last Tuesday, and asked
the jury to be as lenient with him as
they could. He made a statement be-
fore the jury to the effect that he testi-
fied falsely at the trial of Jett and
White through fear of his life.

Adams testified at the trial that he
was in Jackson at the time Marcus
was killed and saw Jett at the time.
He stated in his confession that he was
not in Jackson that day and could
prove it by the best citizens of his
neighborhood.

The confession created quite a sen-
sation and the jury gave him the heaviest
penalty, evidently concluding that the
producers were the more guilty.

Miss Anna Ramsey was in Louisville
and Cincinnati this week attending the
millinery openings and buying her
new spring stock of millinery.

Hazard Lodge I. O. O. F. No. 145

Whereas, it hath pleased God in His
allwise providence to call unto Himself
Elizabeth, the wife of our beloved
brother in the lodge of I. O. O. F., No.
145 S. C. Caldwell, we, the members
of the Hazard Lodge, remembering her
kindness to those about her, her
friendly disposition and Christian life,
have in humble submission to the will
of Him who doeth all things well.

Resolved, 1. We extend to the sor-
rowing family, consisting of husband
and 3 children, our heartfelt and loving
sympathy and tenderest interest in
them shall abide all troubles.

Resolved, 2. That these resolutions
be spread upon the minutes of the lodge
and a copy sent to the bereaved
family and one to the Brethritts Com-
munity News and one to the Thousand-
sticks.

J. A. Thompson, Sec.
J. B. Eversole, Com.
B. D. Rogers,
J. H. Combs, Sec.

C. K. Pinner, who has been making
a tour of the West for the past three
weeks, returned home last Saturday
and is now confined to his room with
grippe.

M. W. Carter has sold his barber
shop and lot to Wm. Spencer for \$850
cash, possession to be given next Mon-
day.

Coal and Timber Land Wanted.

Wanted one hundred thousand acres
of coal and timber lands in Eastern
Kentucky, for Cash, for Eastern Cap-
italists.
Write to
C. E. Smith,
Lexington, Ky.

A NEW KIND OF MEAT.

Results of Mr. Goodnight's Testing of
Buffalo and Angus Cattle.

There is a man in Texas who has
spent the last twenty years in develop-
ing a theory which now promises to revo-
lutionize the entire cattle industry of
this country. He is Charles Goodnight,
distinguished as a philanthropist, philo-
sopher and scientist, and he has at
last succeeded in raising a peculiar
cross breed of cattle embracing the
flavor of beef with the extra weight
and fourteen ribs of the American buf-
falo.

Cattlemen are greatly interested in
Mr. Goodnight's breed of cattle. The
animals are magnificently built and
weigh fully 20 per cent more than the
average Texas steer. Those who have
tasted the delicious tenderloin steaks
from one of the new crossbred cattle
declare that they are the best they
ever ate. It is proposed to breed the
cattle extensively for the markets,
where, it is believed, the meat will com-
mand a higher price than even thor-
oughbred beef.

"Seventeen years ago, one cold,
frosty morning," said Mr. Goodnight,
"I surprised a number of buffalo cows
and two buffalo calves grazing in a
canyon some thirty miles west of my
ranch. After a short chase my gun
pointed and myself succeeded in mak-
ing the calves and these, together with
another animal, a present to Mrs. Good-
night, were the nucleus for the present
herd of buffalo now grazing in my pos-
sures. It has been a long, tiresome
task, and many times I was almost
forced to despair of reaching the suc-
cessful end of my experiment, but at
last success came to me, and I have
proved that a cross between the wild
buffalo and the Angus breed of cattle
has produced a valuable new breed of
animals."

"I have succeeded in producing a
breed of cattle which, retaining all the
hardiness of the buffalo, possesses all
the fine qualities of the domestic ani-
mal. The high bumps and heads have
disappeared, but the long, deep bodies
have remained, giving a weight of at
least 20 per cent more to the grown
animal and at the same time improv-
ing the flavor of the beef. These cat-
tle, like the buffalo, will grow fat on
grass which would starve the ordinary
Angus herd, and their ability to go
long without water and face the severe
storms of winter is one of the most im-
portant features of the new breed."

"A most remarkable feature, how-
ever, is the fact that even down to the
eightth blood they retain the fourteen
ribs to a side possessed by their pre-
decessors, the native buffalo, thus giv-
ing more steak cutting meat and addi-
tional weight. Perhaps the strongest
characteristic of all is the fact that,
while the buffalo is excitable and
afraid of human beings, the cross-
bred is much more gentle even than
the ordinary Angus animal and seems
to crave human attention, rather than
fear it."

THE PORKERS

Comfortable pig quarters can be
cheaply built, and comfort with hogs
means as much or more profit than
with any other animals on the farm.

He is a rich man, indeed, who can af-
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Confessed.

A. C. Adams of Caney pleaded guilty
in court there last Tuesday, and asked
the jury to be as lenient with him as
they could. He made a statement be-
fore the jury to the effect that he testi-
fied falsely at the trial of Jett and
White through fear of his life.

Adams testified at the trial that he
was in Jackson at the time Marcus
was killed and saw Jett at the time.
He stated in his confession that he was
not in Jackson that day and could
prove it by the best citizens of his
neighborhood.

The confession created quite a sen-
sation and the jury gave him the heaviest
penalty, evidently concluding that the
producers were the more guilty.

Miss Anna Ramsey was in Louisville
and Cincinnati this week attending the
millinery openings and buying her
new spring stock of millinery.

Hazard Lodge I. O. O. F. No. 145

Whereas, it hath pleased God in His
allwise providence to call unto Himself
Elizabeth, the wife of our beloved
brother in the lodge of I. O. O. F., No.
145 S. C. Caldwell, we, the members
of the Hazard Lodge, remembering her
kindness to those about her, her
friendly disposition and Christian life,
have in humble submission to the will
of Him who doeth all things well.

Resolved, 1. We extend to the sor-
rowing family, consisting of husband
and 3 children, our heartfelt and loving
sympathy and tenderest interest in
them shall abide all troubles.

Resolved, 2. That these resolutions
be spread upon the minutes of the lodge
and a copy sent to the bereaved
family and one to the Brethritts Com-
munity News and one to the Thousand-
sticks.

J. A. Thompson, Sec.
J. B. Eversole, Com.
B. D. Rogers,
J. H. Combs, Sec.

C. K. Pinner, who has been making
a tour of the West for the past three
weeks, returned home last Saturday
and is now confined to his room with
grippe.

M. W. Carter has sold his barber
shop and lot to Wm. Spencer for \$850
cash, possession to be given next Mon-
day.

Coal and Timber Land Wanted.

Wanted one hundred thousand acres
of coal and timber lands in Eastern
Kentucky, for Cash, for Eastern Cap-
italists.
Write to
C. E. Smith,
Lexington, Ky.

A NEW KIND OF MEAT.

Results of Mr. Goodnight's Testing of
Buffalo and Angus Cattle.

There is a man in Texas who has
spent the last twenty years in develop-
ing a theory which now promises to revo-
lutionize the entire cattle industry of
this country. He is Charles Goodnight,
distinguished as a philanthropist, philo-
sopher and scientist, and he has at
last succeeded in raising a peculiar
cross breed of cattle embracing the
flavor of beef with the extra weight
and fourteen ribs of the American buf-
falo.

Cattlemen are greatly interested in
Mr. Goodnight's breed of cattle. The
animals are magnificently built and
weigh fully 20 per cent more than the
average Texas steer. Those who have
tasted the delicious tenderloin steaks
from one of the new crossbred cattle
declare that they are the best they
ever ate. It is proposed to breed the
cattle extensively for the markets,
where, it is believed, the meat will com-
mand a higher price than even thor-
oughbred beef.

"Seventeen years ago, one cold,
frosty morning," said Mr. Goodnight,
"I surprised a number of buffalo cows
and two buffalo calves grazing in a
canyon some thirty miles west of my
ranch. After a short chase my gun
pointed and myself succeeded in mak-
ing the calves and these, together with
another animal, a present to Mrs. Good-
night, were the nucleus for the present
herd of buffalo now grazing in my pos-
sures. It has been a long, tiresome
task, and many times I was almost
forced to despair of reaching the suc-
cessful end of my experiment, but at
last success came to me, and I have
proved that a cross between the wild
buffalo and the Angus breed of cattle
has produced a valuable new breed of
animals."

"I have succeeded in producing a
breed of cattle which, retaining all the
hardiness of the buffalo, possesses all
the fine qualities of the domestic ani-
mal. The high bumps and heads have
disappeared, but the long, deep bodies
have remained, giving a weight of at
least 20 per cent more to the grown
animal and at the same time improv-
ing the flavor of the beef. These cat-
tle, like the buffalo, will grow fat on
grass which would starve the ordinary
Angus herd, and their ability to go
long without water and face the severe
storms of winter is one of the most im-
portant features of the new breed."

"A most remarkable feature, how-
ever, is the fact that even down to the
eightth blood they retain the fourteen
ribs to a side possessed by their pre-
decessors, the native buffalo, thus giv-
ing more steak cutting meat and addi-
tional weight. Perhaps the strongest
characteristic of all is the fact that,
while the buffalo is excitable and
afraid of human beings, the cross-
bred is much more gentle even than
the ordinary Angus animal and seems
to crave human attention, rather than
fear it."

THE PORKERS

Comfortable pig quarters can be
cheaply built, and comfort with hogs
means as much or more profit than
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J. W. Dean,

Contractor for Brick and
Stone Work. Lime and
Cement for sale. Give
him a call when needing
anything in his line.

JACKSON, KY.

NOTICE

All who are indebted to the es-
tate of J. B. Marcus will please
call and pay the same at once
Mus. J. R. MARCUS ADM'X.

T. F. Walters has bought the inter-
est of G. V. Williams in the saw mill
which was located on Miller Branch
and has moved it to the mouth of Cane
Creek where he has the contract for
sawing a large amount of lumber.

The scratch of a pin may cause the
loss of a limb or even death when blood
poisoning results from the injury. All
danger of this may be avoided, how-
ever, by promptly applying Cham-
berlain's Pain Balm. It is an Anti-
septic and quick healing liniment for
cuts, bruises and burns. For sale by
Day Bros. Co.

Among those from Jackson who wit-
nessed the rendition of Ben Hur at the
Lexington opera house this week were:
Capt. John Pickard, Mr. and Mrs. A.
S. Henry, Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Dinkins,
G. W. Sewall, O. H. Pollard, L. V.
Redwine, Mr. Duvall and Mr. Gale.

When you feel lame and that every-
thing goes wrong, take a dose of Cham-
berlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets.
They will cleanse and invigorate your
stomach, regulate your bowels, give
you a relish for your food and make
you feel that in this old world is a
good place to live. For sale by Day
Bros. Co.

N. B. Combs, who has just retired
from business from the firm of Crain,
Combs & Co., takes this method of
thanking his many friends for their
liberal patronage during the seven
years he was in business here. If he
should enter into business again he
would be glad to have all his friends
call on him.

G. Kelman is paying the highest
market price for beef hides and furs.

Robert Thacker of Stanton has ac-
cepted a position with Carter, the
Barber.

It's Up To you.

YOUR
FOOTWEAR
ST. LOUIS

No Cut off Vamps in
Courtney's Shoes.

FOR SALE BY
A. P. CRAWFORD CO

Tendency of the Times.

The tendency of medical science is
toward preventive measures. The best
thought of the world is being given to
the subject. It is easier and better to
prevent than to cure. It has been
demonstrated that pneumonia, one of
most dangerous diseases that medical
men have contended with, can be pre-
vented by the use of Chamberlain's
Cough Remedy. Pneumonia always
results from a cold or from an attack
of influenza (grip), it has been observed
that this remedy counteracts any
tendency of these diseases toward
pneumonia. This has been fully pro-
ved in many thousands of cases in which
in many cases has been used during the
prevalence of colds and grip in recent
years, and can be relied upon with in-
finit confidence. Pneumonia often
results from a slight cold when no
danger is apprehended until it is sud-
denly discovered. That there is fever
and difficulty in breathing and pains
in the chest, then it is announced that
the patient has pneumonia. He on
the safe side now takes Chamberlain's
Cough Remedy as soon as the cold is
contracted. It always cures. For sale
by Day Bros. Co.

Oil

And the formations in which it is found
Send 25 cts. for the Oil Prospector's
Guide. W. H. FAULKNER,
Fairfield, Iowa.

If you have any houses or lots or
lands you want to sell, list them with
Hagins & Bowling.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

J. WISE HAGINS. C. X. BOWLING.

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A. H. PATTON,

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JACKSON, KENTUCKY.

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